

CRACKDOWN MULTI-COMMUNITY TASK FORCE PROGRAM

Component: 50.30.560, 40.30.560

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The California Department of Justice, Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement (BNE), CrackDown Multi-Community Task Force (BN) Program, pursuant to Public Law in 2005, is responsible for combating inter-jurisdictional and intra-state drug trafficking focusing on methamphetamine, cocaine, marijuana, and the diversion of legal drugs.

The BNE CrackDown Program efforts concentrate on targeting drug offenders within the Colombia cocaine cartels, California street gangs, and Mexican drug trafficking organizations providing smuggling routes through Mexico and California.

The CrackDown Program complements the Anti-Drug Abuse Enforcement Program by supporting local multi-agency drug enforcement teams with Special Agents from the BNE. The BNE provides support to local drug enforcement teams with resources, equipment, and jurisdiction which would be lacking in the absence of this program. Types of support provided to the local teams:

CrackDown Task Forces: Focuses on combating inter-jurisdictional and intra-state drug trafficking organizations rather than individuals.

Clandestine Laboratory Program: Responsible for attempting to cut off the source of chemicals necessary to produce illegal drugs.

Special Operations Unit (SOU): Responsible for developing sources of information to identify the structure and members of intra-state, multi-jurisdictional criminal organizations.

FUNDS AWARDED

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2008/09	Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) FFY 2008	\$ 4,035,310
FY 2009/10	Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) FFY 2009	\$ 3,900,000
FY 2010/11		Unknown

2008/09 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

<u>80</u>	Special Agents assigned to local drug teams.
<u>50</u>	Local drug teams supported.
<u>489</u>	Number of weapons seized.
<u>752</u>	Number of cases referred for prosecution.
<u>\$13,439,698</u>	Total dollar amount of cash and property seized.

2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available